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LOCAL BREVITIES.

An inch of rain Monday.

Dark and gloomy days, lots of them.

So far, sunshine has been rather scarce in 1909.

Salem last week voted to have electric lights.

There is a scarcity of news these days. Decidedly.

Quite a lot of wild turkeys killed the past few weeks.

Pinchle is getting to be a most popular game in Ironton.

H. A. Nail's residence has been leased by Rev. Fuller Swift.

St. Joseph's Chapel, the new Catholic church in Arcadia, will be dedicated April 14th.

The young folk had an enjoyable dance at the Academy of Music Saturday night.

For Sale Cheap—An Ithaca Hammerless double barrel shot gun. Apply at Conway's barber shop.

County court next week. It is feared that the "noblest judge" will be conspicuous by his absence.

We've certainly had winter and summer weather this January. Nine degrees below and seventy-four above within ten days.

A warrant was issued last week for the arrest of George Martin of the Flatwoods on the charge of assaulting a Hungarian woman.

H. A. Nail was here from Jefferson City for a few days the past week. Arthur will remove his family to Jefferson next month.

Some of the planks in the bridge between here and Arcadia should be replaced at once. They are a menace to life and property.

The Bismarck saloon men, it is said, are about a half-dozen names shy on their saloon petitions. Both sides are making a hard fight.

We hear it rumored that a Hungarian tinner who has been living at Pilot Knob for a year or so past, has leased the creamery for the coming year.

The Smart Alex who knows just what the county court is going to do is the same fellow who knew Iron county would "vote for a change" last fall.

On the last page of this issue of the REGISTER will be found the initial chapter of a most interesting serial story, "The Redfields." Do not fail to read it.

Quite a number of new phones have been added to the local system since the first of the year. A new and up-to-date switchboard will soon be installed.

St. Paul's church, Ironton, is about to extend a call to Rev. Ingham of Poplar Bluff. In the event of his acceptance Mr. Ingham will be here two Sundays in the month.

St. Agnes' Guild of St. Paul's church will give a Valentine party at the home of Mr. J. T. Baldwin, Sr., the night of February 13th. A small admission fee will be charged.

J. W. Withers, after a long illness, died of tubercular trouble at his home in Ironton Sunday night. The funeral occurred Tuesday morning and interment took place in the K. P. cemetery.

Lost—On the street between the post-office and Emerson park in south Ironton, Thursday, January 21, a Mink Fur Scarf. Return to Mrs. Carroll York, at the park, and be liberally rewarded.

Bro. Bristol French, of the Piedmont Banner, gave the REGISTER a call Tuesday. He was accompanied by his brother, C. C. French, of Erin, Tenn. They returned to Piedmont on the evening train.

The attention of our prohibition friends is directed to a letter from Mr. Hilburn, our Socialist correspondent from Arkansas. Mr. H. writes most entertainingly, and gives the figures to verify his assertions.

Dr. Jesse W. Hale is slowly recovering from his injuries received by being thrown from his buggy several weeks ago. Although still pretty badly crippled, he expects to soon be able to resume his practice.—Greenville Sun.

We understand Mr. Arthur Sloan of Belgrade is in a very critical condition with blood poisoning, the result of a blow on the head with a club at the hands of a man named Bond at Graniteville several weeks ago.—Potosi Journal.

The thermometer registered 74 last Saturday, the warmest January day, with one exception, in the thirty years that Mr. Delano has been keeping weather records. The exception was January 7, 1890, when the thermometer went to 76.

Dr. Meadows of Bellevue was seriously cut by John Birdwell last Wednesday morning. Various stories are afloat as to the cause of the trouble. Birdwell has been arrested but is out on bond, and the preliminary examination has not yet been held.

A special meeting, U. D., of Midian R. A. Chapter No. 71, will be held at the Hall in Ironton on Tuesday evening, February 2, 1909. Election and installation of officers. All members are urged to attend.

R. W. GAY, Sec'y.

Mrs. Will Ahrens and children arrived from St. Louis last week on a visit to Mrs. Ahrens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nagel. Mr. Ahrens has gone to San Antonio, Texas, to make his home there in the hope the climate will prove beneficial. Mrs. Ahrens and the children will follow him in a few weeks.

Our young friend, George Davis, after an absence of twelve years of more in Texas, is back in "good old Missouri." He has a position as telegraph operator at De Soto, and expects to be made train dispatcher in the near future. He is a mighty good boy, and we are glad to see him "come back home."

The nimrods were after a bear or panther several days of last week, and a couple of large parties were organized to hunt the terror. The animal is reported to have been seen in the Hogan country and west of Pilot Knob. We have been unable to see a man who saw the monster. But we saw one fellow who had seen the man that saw the "tracks."

Mr. Bert Gregory has been confined to the bed for the past two weeks owing to severe burns which he received on both feet while at work at one of the mining plants in this city. It seems that Bert attempted to cross over a vat of hot water and stumbled and fell in some manner both of his feet and part of his legs went into the boiling water. Fortunately he had on heavy boots which protected him some but he was nevertheless badly burned.—Fredericktown Democrat News.

Recorder Hawkins last week received applications from two different men to marry the same girl. One of the applicants is rather an old man and not long since divorced; the other is from a young man of 22, which is said to be the lady's age. The applicants had failed to follow certain legal requirements of which the recorder advised them, and now he is curiously waiting to see who will win. Two of the parties live across the line in Wayne county and the other in the extreme south end of Iron.

Francis B. Runder, former cashier of the St. Louis post-office, was brought to Ironton Monday evening by Deputy U. S. Marshal Williams to serve six months in the Iron county jail for embezzling about \$8,000 from the postal funds. The punishment no doubt is just, but it looks strange to an outsider that Runder who is a Democrat should have to serve six months for stealing \$8,000 while no one has been punished for stealing that \$81,500 from the St. Louis subtreasury. Is this the boasted American justice?

Mrs. A. J. Sheahan of Graniteville died in a hospital in St. Louis Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Sheahan had been in poor health for a number of years and for some time it was known that the end was coming. The remains were brought to Graniteville Wednesday and interment occurred at Middlebrook Friday morning, a large concourse of friends and relatives paying the last sad tribute to the departed. A husband, two sons and two daughters mourn the loss of devoted wife and mother. To them, in their great sorrow, the REGISTER extends sincere sympathy.

A new time card on the Iron Mountain railway is expected to be inaugurated in the very near future. The change is generally talked among railway men. Not only changes in schedules are expected, but marked changes in the train service as well. It is said that the St. Louis-Mexico special will be put in service for the rest of the winter season. It will be an international Pullman train running from St. Louis and through this city to the City of Mexico. The most decided change in train service that is talked is that proposed for the Cairo and Belmont branches. Operation of the two lines with the same trains is said to be the plan. Trains, it is said, would run from this city over the Cairo line as far as Charleston and there take the Belmont branch to Bismarck. From Charleston to Cairo is fifteen miles and from Charleston to Belmont is about the same distance. The same train would operate the lines between Charleston and the two river ports. There has been no official announcement of the new time card. However, it is "common notoriety" in railway circles. The date of the change is not known.—Poplar Bluff Republican.

We see in the IRON COUNTY REGISTER that the authorities of that county have been imposing upon the interesting Brooks family that abode in our midst for a short season last summer. The trouble seems to have arisen from the efforts of the boys (Jim and LeRoy) to share in the prosperity of a dago family that lived near them. Prosperity had struck the village of Pilot Knob a little unevenly, in their opinion, and it was up to some one to even things up and the Brooks family assumed the pressure. It looked unfair to them that a crude foreigner, a mere outlander, should be permitted to come into this country untaxed and compete on equal terms for the benefits that ought to accrue only to natives of the soil, so they concluded to run a little tax of their own upon the untaxed importation from abroad that lived near them. We infer from the evidence that they, without the aid of the law levied upon some poultry out of proper hours. At this point the authorities interfered and the two boys repose in jail. If they should happen to get to Jefferson City it will be interesting to observe the efforts of the authorities there to get any work out of them. If they can they will deserve a gold medal for so far no one has succeeded in accomplishing this feat.—Potosi Independent.

PERSONAL.

Sam Middleton was in Ironton Sunday.

A. Steel and wife went to De Soto Saturday.

R. S. Huff of Hogan was in Ironton Saturday.

G. R. Gay was here from Little Rock Sunday.

W. H. Hughes of Hogan was a caller Monday.

F. Rodach of Middlebrook was a caller Friday.

R. E. Guntton returned to Jefferson City Monday.

T. F. Walsh of St. Louis was an Ironton visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Ed. Benson of Annapolis was in Ironton Saturday.

Judge L. F. Dinning of Potosi was in Ironton Tuesday.

Mrs. H. O. Davis visited her son, George, in De Soto last week.

Mrs. Gilliam and Miss Bess are visiting relatives in Boone Terre.

Wm. Trauernicht and wife of Bismarck were in Ironton Saturday.

Mrs. S. W. Andrews was in St. Louis last week as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Carter.

The values that B. N. Brown is giving this year in clothing are truly remarkable. They are the best that he has ever given.

Des Arc Items.

We are having the warmest weather ever known in this section for the time of year. Farmers are uneasy about their meat.

A Mr. Sanders, who formerly lived near Brunot, while working in the Clark-Gay hub factory at Ellington, was struck by a flying piece of timber and killed. The remains were brought to Brunot Friday for interment.

Lumber orders are getting rather scarce. E. W. Graves seems to get orders for handles as he is running full time at his factory.

Mrs. S. J. Jordan wants to rent her farm, two and one-half miles south of Des Arc; has a good house, barn, etc.

Dr. Myers of Coldwater has sold his farm and will leave. There is a good opening for a young, energetic doctor.

The Holiness people have closed their meeting at Brunot.

The Baptists will hold their annual 5th Sunday meeting here the 5th Sunday. Twelve or fifteen Baptist preachers are expected to attend. The session will convene Friday and last until Sunday night.

I heard a temperance lecture Sunday night by Rev. W. W. Strother, of Des Arc. It was the most pathetic appeal to whiskey drinkers that I ever heard. He pictured his own past life, down in the gutter and among the slums of our saloons. It was sad, sad, indeed, to hear him, and I don't think out of an audience of 300 there was a man or woman in it who was not affected. His object is to arouse the people in this section against having any more saloons in this county. I wish that our county judges could have heard this appeal. God knows, if they have any boys they would certainly heed the advice Rev. Strother gives and that is to hold the license of this county up to \$1200 and require a two-thirds petition. He will make the same appeal at the courthouse next Monday night. I hope every man who voted wet will go to hear him. I have talked to nearly every man between here and Hogan, and the men who voted wet say they will vote dry from now on. I was talking to Holloman Bros. the other day. They say that they hope there will never be another saloon in Ironton, for they can see such a change for the better. They say men who used to come home intoxicated now come home loaded down with something for their families. They say not a drunk man has ever been in their store since the saloons closed.

Mrs. John Stevenson and children visited relatives at Hendrickson last week.

Neeley Harvelle and family are spending this week with relatives at Keener.

Miss Grace Wilson from Leadwood spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. W. J. Fitz.

Miss Agnes Clifton is visiting her father from Chaffee.

Miss Maude Fitz is visiting with her sister, Mrs. G. W. Morris, at Farmington this week.

Miss Etta Keathley spent Sunday at home.

Albert Collins, Sam Shy and Fred Gilmer from Sabula were in town Saturday.

Lee Strader was in Piedmont Friday.

Gilbert Hickman and Miss Rosa Lee were married Sunday at the home of the bride by Rev. W. W. Strother.

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Annapolis News.

Well, Mr. Editor, it seems that the Annapolis news has been lacking in your valuable IRON COUNTY REGISTER so thought it would be advisable to drop in again and give you a few sketches from the garden spot of Iron county.

John Jackson had the misfortune to lose a fine horse during the past week. Something got the matter with the horse and he was suffering so much that Mr. Jackson knocked him in the head and put him out of his misery.

John S. Benson was in St. Louis during most of this bad weather. I see where he was right. I would never go away from home and put up in a dry town. I would always go where I could get booze when I wanted it, or anything else that is made to eat and drink.

Our new county court will convene soon and they will serve the people of Iron county right if they put saloon license down to \$400

and a majority petition, as the recent amendments to the law were intended for the more populous counties.

Everybody is after the job of roadoverseer, and it is uncertain who will be our road boss; but we are sure our county court will put the right man in the right place.

T. P. Fitz loaded one car of hub timber here last week and will load three more cars as soon as he can get the cars.

Robert Santhoff is placing lots of lumber on the railroad now. He has himself driven a four-mule team in here, twelve miles, every day during the cold spell. He is making the finest lumber ever shipped from Annapolis—both oak and pine.

Squire Kitchell has not married since writing three weeks ago, nor has he caused any one else to be married. But he has a lady treed on the other side of Ameson, Minnesota. She weighs 200 lbs. and has two little children, one and three years old. It is 14 miles across the lake, and 90 miles around, and Ameson is the nearest post-office. The snow is very deep at present and the weather biter cold there. The Squire is thinking of buying one of those Ironton sleighs, shipping it to Minnesota and coming around the lake with the woman and children. Mr. Editor, what do you think of that?

This is a bright, clear day. Sun shining like spring time, and snow all gone.

Mrs. John Brewer is doing some good work toward building a new church house to take the place of the one that was destroyed by fire last August by some unknown parties.

John S. Benson is on a deal to trade off all his real estate in Iron county for property in St. Louis. Consideration, nearly \$85,000. An agent is here now making inventory of the lands.

Our school is progressing nicely. It seems Mr. Williams is having less trouble with the pupils than any teacher we have had for years past.

Good bye for this time. Will come again.

BULLETIN.

Ladies who have not yet purchased their winter cloaks will find it to their interest to call and inspect the big bargains we are offering.

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Carver Creek.

Hallo! to the readers of the REGISTER.

We are having very warm, rainy weather, which is quite a contrast with the cold and snowy weather of a fortnight ago.

Mrs. J. W. Bell of Flat River is visiting home folks at this writing.

Our school closes Jan. 27. The term has been a splendid success and the pupils seem to be earnestly striving to improve the shining moments as they fly, and to lay in childhood the foundation of a useful life.

The Sunday School is progressing nicely with fairly good attendance.

Mr. Simeon Sherrill was the guest of Mr. Jacob Pinkley Sunday.

Mr. Wadell delivered an address to an attentive audience at church Jan. 17. His regular time of meeting the church at this place has been changed from the first, to the third Sunday of each month.

MANERVIA.

Big Cut in Price on all ladies' and children's cloaks and coats, and on men's and boys' overcoats, at B. N. Brown's.

Roselle Items.

Mr. Sutton of Arcadia was here on business Wednesday.

Miss Clemma Downs and Mrs. Eliza Olive are on the sick list.

Miss Maud Phillips has returned from Flat River.

Miss Mattie Pogue was the guest of Miss Phillips Tuesday.

Milton Leonard came home from Flat River Sunday.

Paul Conway was in Fredericktown on business last week.

F. Henson of Arcadia was in Roselle Sunday.

Died:—At her home in Leadwood, Jan. 19th, Mrs. Mary Vance. The deceased was formerly a resident of Roselle and has many relatives and friends who will learn of her death with sorrow.

Married:—At the home of the bride's parents on Brewer's Creek, Jan. 6th, Jackson Maze, Jr., and Miss Savannah Olive. May happiness ever be theirs.

Died:—Jan. 19th, Jesse, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Holt. Rev. F. B. Mathews preached the funeral sermon and the remains were laid to rest in the Granite View cemetery Tuesday afternoon at 4 P. M. To the heart broken parents, we extend our sincere sympathy.

Mo.

For Sale or Trade.—House and three acres of land, one mile from Ironton. Price, \$150. Will take a horse in part pay.

W. J. SMITH.

Middlebrook Items.

"Uncle Jimmy" Buchanan, for many years a resident of Graniteville, was buried here Wednesday last week.

Mrs. Andy Sheehan was buried here Friday. Mrs. Sheehan has been in ill health for several years. She died in the hospital at St. Louis and her body was brought here Wednesday on No. 25. Amongst those from a distance who attended the funeral, we noted: Andy Sheehan Jr., of Rockport, Mass., William Arnold and wife of Doe Run, Mrs. Masson, Mrs. A. P. Vance and Mr. Timothy O'Keefe, of St. Louis; Dr. Trauernicht, A. Rohery, Jesse Hawkins and Price Ringo, of Ironton, and Joseph Gould of Elvins.

Henry Edmonds, of Crystal City, came down to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Elijah

Brooks, who was buried at the Edison cemetery last week.

Thomas Hill went to Bellevue Thursday.

R. E. Johnston shipped a carload of cattle to St. Louis this week.

Tom Anderson is putting up a new barn on his premises.

Miss Pearl Farmer, of Ironton, and Miss Dora Carty came up on 22 Thursday.

Mrs. Wm. Kneess visited in Bismarck last week.

J. I. Kneess and mother of Bismarck, came down on 25 Friday and returned Saturday on 26.

Mrs. John Sandman returned home from Piedmont last week.

Monroe Fitzpatrick was in town Saturday.

A. P. Crow of Munger was in town several days last week loading and shipping lumber.

Mrs. J. F. Watts, of Lacotah, North Dakota, is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Sandman.

Richard Baldwin and family, of Ironton, visited B. Waldram Sunday.

Tom Anderson and family visited home folk, near Ironton, Sunday and Monday.

Thomas Hill went to Ironton Tuesday.

SCRIBBLER.

Just received—another car of the celebrated Golden Sheaf Flour. Try a sack and you will want no other.

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Weather Report.

Meteorological report of Voluntary Observer at Ironton, Iron county, Mo., for the week ending Tuesday, January 26, 1909:

Days of Week.	Days of Month.	Highest.	Lowest.	Precipitation.
Wednesday	20	45	32	1.10
Thursday	21	65	35	
Friday	22	64	50	
Saturday	23	74	56	1.00
Sunday	24	67	51	
Monday	25	42	40	
Tuesday	26	50	28	

NOTE—The precipitation includes rain, hail, sleet and melted snow and is recorded in inches and hundredths. Ten inches of snow equal one inch of rain. "T" indicates trace of precipitation.

W. H. DELANO, Observer.

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